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## Gets 119 Years in Pen.

Robert Stovall, a negro, was convicted on three charges in the Knox Circuit Court at Barboursville and sentenced to the penitentiary for a total of 119 years. He received two sentences of ten years each on the charges of robbery, and a sentence of ninety-nine years for murder.

A peculiar feature of the case is that Stovall was placed on trial three days after being arrested, on three charges, and was on trial three days. The murder for which Stovall received a life sentence was committed two weeks ago at Artemus. At that point officers and a crowd of negroes fought a battle following efforts of the posse to serve warrants. Officers Brooks and Smith were killed, as was also Jim Foley, a negro.

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I can also give you anything you want in Fireworks.

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Telephone 179.

## COURT VIEW HOTEL BURNS AT WINCHESTER.

**By Rare Presence of Mind Paris**  
**Boy Escapes With His**  
**Life.**

Fire at an early-hour yesterday morning completely destroyed the Court View Hotel, at Winchester, causing one fatality and entailing a loss of nearly \$30,000.

The fire started on the ground floor near the kitchen and the entire first floor was a roaring mass of flames before it was discovered.

The fire spread so rapidly that before the occupants of the building could be awakened the only stairway leading from the second and third floors of the hotel were ablaze, cutting off the only exit from the upper floors and occupants had to jump from the windows of their rooms to escape with their lives.

Mr. H. T. Eals, of Cynthiana, an employe of the Burley Tobacco Society, who was in the hotel was burned to death. His body was found in the ruins at 9:20 o'clock. Several occupants of the building remembered seeing him come out of his room when they were making their escape. They saw him go back presumably to get his clothes, but was never seen alive again and it is supposed that he was overcome by the smoke and thus became easy prey to the flames.

Those who were well acquainted with Eals say that he was a very sound sleeper and hard to awaken and these are of the opinion that he never thoroughly awoke during the fire.

H. T. Eals was a son of Henry T. Eals, of Cynthiana, a prominent real estate dealer, and had been in Winchester for some time in the employment of the Burley Tobacco Society. He was a popular and capable young man and his tragic end is greatly regretted.

Bennett Thoams, of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Thomas, had a thrilling experience in the fire. Mr. Thomas was a boarder at the hotel, his room being on the third floor. When he was awakened all avenues of escape was cut off by the flames.

With rare presence of mind Mr. Thomas grabbed the two sheets off the bed and made a rope of them. He then tied one end to the foot railing of the bed and let himself down to a second story window. He then, with superhuman strength, jerked the sheet rope from its fastening. He then fastened same to a wire and let himself down until he could touch a telephone pole, which he grabbed and slid to the ground in safety, but rather uncomfortable condition as he was barefooted, bareheaded and minus everything else but his underclothing and overcoat, which he happened to pick up in his flight.

Mr. Thomas lost all of his clothing and a valuable gold watch which was a family heirloom. Nothing but the rare presence of mind of this young man saved him from the fate of poor Eals, whose room was on the same floor as his.

## Booe's Case.

The case of Judge Booe was called in the Franklin Circuit Court yesterday and continued until today. He will plead guilty and is likely to get from 15 to 20 years in the penitentiary.

## Beach Hargis in Jail Again.

Only after a legal battle such as seldom been witnessed in the Commonwealth was Beach Hargis able to secure bail on the charge of murdering his own father, his devoted and afflicted mother being compelled to pledge securities almost equal to what is left of the large fortune accumulated by Judge Hargis as collateral to secure the \$25,000 bond required, and now he is again incarcerated in the Breathitt county jail on three charges.

Wednesday he was arrested on two warrants for shooting on the streets, the very night of the day he returned from Irvine and carrying a pistol. Tuesday night he was found drunk on the street and again armed and was at once lodged in jail.

In the Police Court he was tried on the various charges and filed \$96. Confident of his mother's support in this, as in all his former escapades, young Hargis asked the Town Marshal to go down to his home with him to get her to pay off or replevy the fines.

To his surprise he found that she was not ready to do this. His disposition to raise trouble with any and all of the witnesses and others taking part in his prosecution in the trial just closed at Irvine had caused her to fear that if left at liberty he was liable to get into serious trouble and might be killed.

So Mrs. Hargis decided that, for the present at least, she would not interfere with his punishment for these minor violations and the young man was taken back to jail.

The man with whom Beach Hargis seemed most determined to provoke a difficulty was his uncle, Elbert Hargis, who assisted in his prosecution.

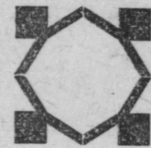
He tried at several times to engage his uncle in conversation and once called across the street to him that he "would meet him half way." The older man, however, refrained from any communication with his nephew.

So general is the public's realization of the recklessness of Beach Hargis that Wednesday evening peaceful citizens were preparing to protect themselves in case of attack from him.

## ANNUAL WHITE SALE.

I announce my annual January White Sale and Clearance Sale to begin Saturday, January 16th and continue to Saturday, January 23rd.

HARRY SIMON.



To our many friends and customers who have liberally given us their patronage the past year, we desire to thank them and wish them a happy and prosperous New Year.

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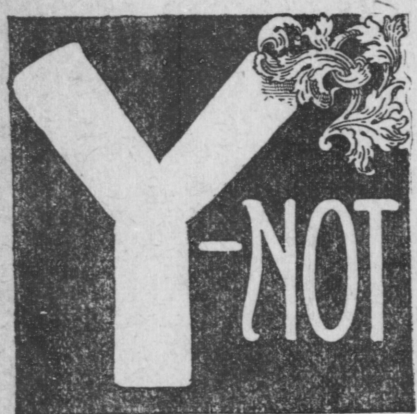
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Best Axminster, 10-6x13-6.....	37.50 now	30.00
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### Encouraging Figures.

Democrats have every reason to feel, encouraged by their showing in the national election figures. The complete official canvass of the popular vote for President gives plenty of basis for rejoicing even in defeat.

The comparative increase in the total vote for Republican and Democratic candidate is so strongly in favor of the latter as to make that of the former inconsequential.

Bryan polled 1,315,211 more votes than did Parker in 1904, whereas Taft was able to increase his vote over that of Roosevelt in 1904 by only 14,190. Bryan's increase over the Democratic vote of four years ago nearly equal to the total increase in the whole number of votes cast over that of 1904.

Furthermore it is the largest Democratic vote ever cast in the United States.

The election returns are illuminating also as regards the figures for the minor parties. Neither the Socialists, the Prohibition nor Hearst's private party cast anywhere near the vote the anticipated, while the Populists lost heavily compared with 1904.

The figures demonstrate conclusively that the great political battles for many years to come will continue to be fought between the Republican and Democratic parties. The figures show further that the Democratic party is gaining while the Republican remain nearly stationary.

Four years more of Republican rule ought to insure a decisive Democratic victory in 1912 if the Democrats "keep their powder dry," their enthusiasm strong and their organization effective.

### The Calamity in Italy.

The great earthquake zones of the earth lie generally in long lines of gradual curves, following mountain chains of volcanic rock. In the often-harassed Sicilian Calabrian region, the scene of Monday's calamity, the fanciful might trace upon the map a sickle of death, comparatively narrow, curving slowly from the East to the North-east. Its beginning is in the mountain of Central Sicily, its end in the narrow instep of the boot of lower Italy.

In this stricken region Sicily and Calabria are joined. The mountain rock merely dips under the water at Messina Straits. Etna, two miles high, the greatest volcano of Italy, is in modern phrase the power-house of the ungovernable force that kills men so pitilessly. The old fable held that Enceladus was here imprisoned, breathing flame and shaking the earth with his struggles to be free. Vesuvius to a slight extent only, Stromboli on its island between usually in a somewhat greater degree, sympathize with the giants' throes.

Messina is almost at the centre of the earthquake zone, but its greater foe is the sea. Here are Scylla and Charybdis of the ancient navigators. The car ferry that connects Sicily with the mainland is often interrupted in winter. Three days of south wind, the dreaded "sirocco," and it must stop. The narrow funnel-like strait, that piles a winter storm into such dangerous waves, pinched up the tidal wave of the earthquake into the wall of water that overwhelmed Messina and Reggio. The water killed its scores where the earthquake had slain one; and fire and pillage followed, as if humane men were merely making war.

Along the stricken shore of Sicily and on the western shore of Calabria the railroad follows the sea at low level. At every station villages have huddled on the flat land at the foot of

the hills, the fishermen's huts edging the very beach. In all these luckless places the tidal wave must have repeated upon a smaller scale the horrors of Messina and Catania.

The Sicilian east coast had already suffered one disaster in this ill-starred month. Early in December torrential rains poured down upon the bare, gaunt, stripped mountains of the interior, swell to huge torrents the dry brook course of a six-months drought, swept away roads and railroads, drowned many people and covered the streets and houses of the low coast villages with mud often many feet deep. The work of reparation had scarcely begun when the greater calamity swept the shore.

As when Vesuvius last broke loose, people will wonder why men choose to dwell in such scenes of danger. But between the great disasters that make so portentous a printed list are long periods when the slopes are golden with lemons ripening and the rich soil smiles with double harvests. A volcano is not such a bad neighbor. It always gives warning, and in its worst fits enriches the soil. The earthquake in its appalling fury and unescapable suddenness is a different matter.

### Inhabitants of the Museum.

Little Dorothy had been taken by a friend to visit the museum and was very much interested in the stuffed animals in the glass cages, and also in the statuary. On returning home she ran eagerly to her mother, saying: "Oh, mamma, we saw some real, live, stuffed animals and some sample people."

### Source of Poison Dangers.

The action of foods and liquors on their receptacles may produce deadly poisons. Acid fruits cooked in copper or zinc pots are a particular source of danger. A man who was taken ill in the hunting field with symptoms of mineral poisoning learned that the fine old brandy he carried in his back pocket had dissolved some of the copper in the sterling silver flask.

### Health.

Bad as conditions are to-day, great progress has been made during the last 20 years. People are growing more careful as to what they eat and drink. There is no city that is not bestirring itself to improve its water supply and its system of sanitation. The demand for more fresh air is almost a fad in progressive communities.

### Words of Praise

For the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed, as given by leaders in all the several schools of medicine, should have far more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has the badge of HONESTY on every bottle-wrapper, in a full list of all its ingredients printed in plain English.

If you are an invalid woman and suffer from frequent headache, backache, gnawing distress in stomach, periodical pains, disagreeable, catarrhal, pelvic drain, dragging down distress in lower abdomen, or pelvic, perhaps dark spots or specks dancing before the eyes, faint spells and kindred symptoms caused by female weakness, or other derangement of the feminine organs, you can not do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

The hospital, surgeon's knife and operating table may be avoided by the timely use of "Favorite Prescription" in such cases. Thereby the obnoxious examinations and local treatments of the family physician can be avoided and a thorough course of successful treatment carried out in the privacy of the home. "Favorite Prescription" is composed of the very best native medicinal roots known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments, contains no alcohol and no harmful or habit-forming drugs.

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You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this remedy of known composition.

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Van Hook, Sam Clay, Peacock, Chicken, Cock  
Whiskies and the very finest Wines  
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**Politeness Pays.**  
Nothing pays so well as politeness, except industry and honesty. And an industrious, honest man is handicapped if he is not polite. Don't leave a trail of grumbling and ill nature wherever you go.—Atchison Globe.

**Sea-Going Variety.**  
Shade of Diogenes—"I suppose I can claim the distinction of having been the only human being that ever lived in a tub." Shade of Noah—"Oh, I don't know; you should have been on the ark one or two breezy nights I recall."—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

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## About The Only Money

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And this kind of saving not only  
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(Quickstep.)

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Little Trooper. 2 pp.—2d p.



## MILLERSBURG ITEMS.

—Mrs. C. M. Best and Mrs. J. R. Long are not so well.

—Blanton, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Collier, is some better.

—Miss M. B. Clark left Saturday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Williams, of Irvine.

—Mr. Phil Mahar is building a residence adjoining the one he occupies on Trigg Avenue.

—Elder Alex Sanders, of Paintsville, preached at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

—Mr. James Hawes spent from Thursday till Tuesday with his brother, Mr. Alex Hawes, of Covington.

—Mrs. James Clark, of Sharpsburg, is the guest of her son and daughter, Mr. D. E. Clark and Mrs. A. T. Moffitt.

—Mr. A. J. Thaxton, who has been at home since the holidays returned to State University Monday to resume his studies.

—We start today another guessing contest. Come in and learn particulars.

C. W. HOWARD.

—Mr. John Patton died at the County Infirmary Sunday and was buried in the Millersburg cemetery Monday afternoon.

—Miss Dorothy Peed, who has been at home since the holidays, returned to her duties as teacher on the graded schools at Birmingham, Ala.

—You get the worth of your money at C. W. Howard's, so a guess for each 25 cents worth of goods bought for cash. Come in and we will tell you all about it.

—The interest in the protracted meeting at the Presbyterian church is growing, notwithstanding the inclement weather. Rev. Smith is a forcible speaker and gives you something to think about whether you agree with him or not.

—Special sale days during the months of January, February and March. Each Saturday will be special cash sale days in all lines. We have the good goods and we need your money and are willing to part with these goods on very small margin of profit, come and see us.

C. W. HOWARD.

—Elder W. A. Gardner, who preached at the Christian church Sunday morning was tendered a call Tuesday evening at Louisville by phone and accepted. He will enter on his charge here the first Sunday in February, he is going with a protracted meeting which he will conduct in person. The congregation is very much elated in having secured him. All who heard him Sunday were well pleased. Besides he is quite a vocalist and a cornetist.

—Mrs. Lucinda B. Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. John Sheridan son and daughter, Mr. Howard Sheridan and Miss Lucinda Sheridan, who left here last Saturday for a short visit to relatives in Maysville and Mason county, returned Thursday, spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ingels; from thence to

Paris, where they will remain until this afternoon as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hinton, at which times they leave for their home at St. Joseph, Mo.

—Born, on Dec. 31, to the wife of Thos. Sheeler, a son.

—Wm. Miller, Jr., who has been among the sick is much improved.

—Mrs. Wm. Best, of Cincinnati, is the guest of her brother Mr. S. K. Proctor.

—Dr. and Mrs. Huffman, of Berry, are guests of his brother, Dr. W. V. Huffman and wife.

—Mrs. M. E. Hutchcraft returned from Paris Monday after spending a week with relatives.

—Mrs. Day and daughter, of Covington, are spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. V. Human.

—Miss Margaret Stanard returned from Louisville Wednesday after spending the holidays with relatives there.

—Miss Elizabeth Gamble returned to Wellesley College, near Boston, Monday after spending the holidays at home.

—Miss Bettie T. Vimont is building a residence for rent on one of her lots on Seventh Street between Miller and Railroad.

## Brotherly Love.

Theodore Luttrell, guard at the Eddyville branch penitentiary, although he could not induce his brothers to write to him, proved that a spark of brotherly love remained in their hearts when he wrote to them last. He had not heard from his two brothers in years before he was appointed guard. A week ago he wrote to each of them on prison stationery, as follows: "Dear Brother—I am in here, I don't know for how long. It depends on my good behavior." Sunday both brothers visited him at Eddyville to see what was the matter.

## Saloon on a Barge.

Although everyone of the twenty-seven saloons in Vicksburg, Miss., are closed, every thirsty man in the city can get a drink. The prohibition law went into effect in Mississippi with the new year, but an enterprising saloon man had built an immense barroom on a barge and he anchored it in the Yazoo canal on the Louisiana side. He hired men to row his patrons from Mississippi to Louisiana and they swarmed over all day.

## Formosa's Sugar Exports.

Formosa, with its population of 3,000,000, is running the Philippines neck and neck in the export of sugar. Each exported a value of \$4,000,000 in 1907.

## Mere Beauty.

When a man tells a girl that mere beauty doesn't appeal to him he's trying in his kind, clumsy way to comfort her because she isn't pretty.

## Must Go Together.

Integrity without knowledge is weak and useless.—Paley.

## Much Talkee, Nothing Done.

As stated before a petition has been circulated in this city among the business men in regard to cutting out one of the telephone companies now doing business in this city. A goodly number of our citizens signed this petition and a meeting was held Wednesday evening at the court house to discuss the matter and to take some action.

About 65 citizens were present, each of the telephone companies, the Home and East Tennessee, had representatives there. Mr. George Rassenfoss was elected Chairman of the meeting and Mr. Frank Kiser, Secretary. After stating the object of the meeting a general talk was indulged in, most of which was done by W. O. Hinton, Chas. Clendenin, W. C. Dodson and Chairman Rassenfoss.

The result of the meeting could not be figured out, some wanting to drop the East Tennessee and some the Home. Those present began to drop out one by one until all were gone and an adjournment was not necessary. Therefore nothing was done, and the question is unsolved, just where it began.

In our last issue we suggested to "let well enough alone," and it looks very much like our suggestion will be taken as the best offer for the solution of the question. We are not much of a "standpatter" but when it comes to only one telephone company doing business here, you can put us down as a "standpatter." So to sum up the meeting is an easy job, "much talkee, nothing done."

## In Winter's Grip.

Following the recent rains and the weather man's prediction of a cold snap, the thermometer took a decided drop Tuesday night and we are now in the midst of real winter weather. While this is not really the coldest weather we have experienced this winter yet it came after a period that resembled that of springtime, and as a result overcoats and heavy clothing bring a genuine comfort. The mercury Tuesday and Wednesday and Wednesday night went as low as nineteen degrees above zero, and on yesterday varying between freezing and that point. Today, according to prediction will be partly cloudy and warmer.

## About Right.

A boy was asked to explain the difference between animal instinct and human intelligence. "If we had instinct," he said, "we should know everything we needed to know without learning it; but we've got reason, and so we have to study ourselves 'most blind, or be a fool.'—Universalist Leader.

## The Truth Hurt.

A prominent lawyer of Vicksburg, Miss., who, after two months of widowhood, took unto himself another spouse, was very indignant when he read in one of the local papers the following notice of his marriage: "The wedding was very quiet, owing to a recent bereavement in the bridegroom's family."

## To Meet at Jackson.

A call has been issued from Jackson for a great mass meeting to be participated in by delegates from forty counties in Eastern Kentucky to be held at Jackson early in May at which the general situation in that part of the State will be discussed and plans put forward for the stamping out of all law breaking, including feudism illicit distilling of whisky, operating of blind tiger saloons, etc. Mass meetings will be held first in each of the counties and delegates selected for the big meeting. This will be the first time in the history of Kentucky that this method of stopping lawlessness has been tried. The recent Callahan-Deaton outbreak caused the call to be issued.

## Mrs. Maybrick to Wed.

Romance has again come into the life of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the American woman who was convicted in England on the charge of poisoning her husband, convicted, sentenced to prison for life, served for years, and finally released on ticket to leave by the organized and persistent efforts of the women of America.

Since that time Mrs. Maybrick has spent her time in America, and has been lecturing for the Saltyon Lyceum Bureau. Now, according to S. J. H. McCracken, the Atlanta representative of the Slayton Bureau, Mrs. Maybrick is engaged to and will marry Chas. L. Wagner, a Chicago man, who is the secretary to the bureau.

Through his duties as secretary Wagner frequently met Mrs. Maybrick, and this acquaintance, it is said, soon ripened into love. Several times he asked her to marry him, and several times she refused, according to the story, she fearing her past might injure Wagner, but finally his persistence was rewarded.

## Story of the Wedding.

A political correspondent of a Western Kansas paper was recently asked to report a wedding which was to occur in the town in which he happened to be that night. Here is the report the editor of the paper got: "Amid scenes of splendor and sounds of sweet concord (I suppose that's the way to start out) Victoria, the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merrill (may the Lord forgive me) was married to Mr. Edward Post. Promptly at eight o'clock the bride, a vision in white (I'll never do a thing like this again as long as I live. Of course, the bride wore clothes and there were roses and music and things to eat; but I do not know where to put them in.) The bride's father is a prominent ranchman and the bridegroom is a decent young chap, which I suppose should go in somewhere. Please don't ask me to write up any more weddings."

## Advice for the Lovelorn.

When a girl begins to talk a great deal about some other man it is an excellent time to propose to her.

33 1-3 Discount.

PRICE &amp; CO., Clothiers.

Will Sell their Entire Stock of

Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats

at 33 1-3 off the regular price, which will be a big saving to you. Costs you nothing to look, and if you don't buy, we'll thank you just the same for coming in.

25 per cent. Discount

on all Heavy Underwear and Caps.

Give Us a Call. No Trouble to Show Goods.

Jane Cooper, Paris, Ky.

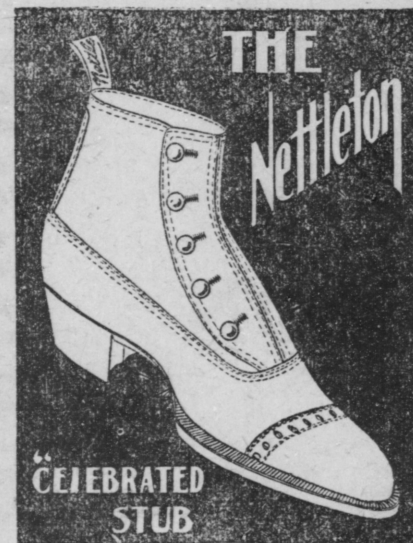
Wins—No. 1008.

A Complete Line of Ladies' Fur Trimmed House Slippers

In all colors, Red, Gray Brown and Black.

Also Men's Kid Opera Everett and Nullifiers, in Brown and Black.

Nothing nicer for a Christmas present.



Geo. McWilliams, The Leading Shoe Man.

## Why Drink Imitation Beer?

When you can get the genuine article at the same price, by sending your order to

The Windisch-Muhlhauser Brewing Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Our good, old Lion Export Bottled Beer delivered direct to your home from the Brewery. Write in for price list and how to order. Local Option Law permits you to have it shipped to your home.

## Lexington &amp; Interurban Railway Co.

The Central Kentucky Traction Company.

Blue Grass Traction Company.

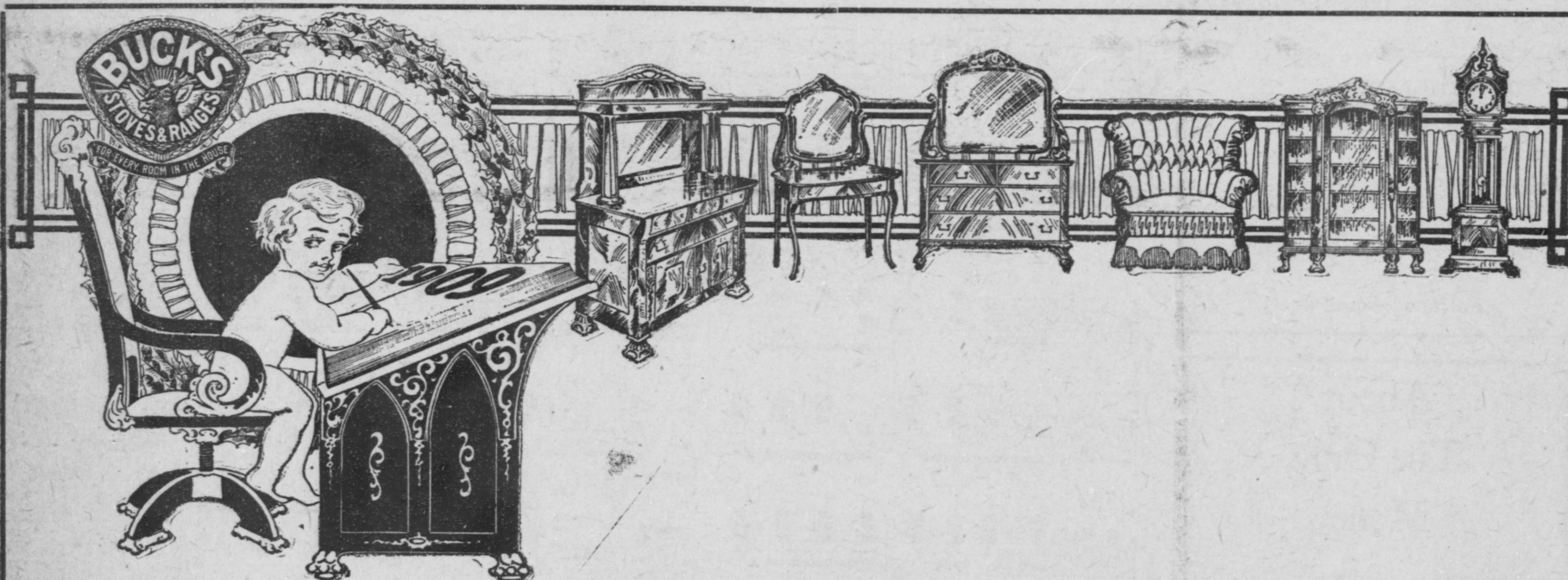
"Blue Grass Route."

Bulletin No. 16.

At the time of the inauguration of the Interurban Lines from Lexington to Paris, Georgetown, Versailles and Frankfort, a school ticket system was established. A careful examination of the rates charged for these tickets has convinced the management that they are not equal. With an idea of establishing equality in rates, we will, on and after January 1, 1909, sell school tickets to and from points on the Interurban lines at a revised rate. Full information can be obtained at any of our agencies. These school tickets are sold only to the user, upon presentation of the school teacher's certificate; and good only for use of the person in whose name they are made out, and are only to be used in the sixty-day limit stamped on the cover of book.

The Philosopher of Folly.  
"I never sit down," says the Philosopher of Folly, "to contemplate the uncertainties of life. It keeps me busy enough keeping track of the sure things."

Try the Gentle Word.  
A gentle word soothes anger just as water puts out fire, and there is no soil so barren but that tenderness brings forth some fruit.—St. Francis de Sales.



## WELCOME TO 1909.

It's going to be a good year for all of us. We know that, and in recognition thereof have resolved to give a square deal to all, to give better values if possible, to have the same low prices as before, and, everything considered, to make this the banner year in our history.

**Buck's Heating Stoves**  
at cost from now on, in order to close out our big stock, as we do not intend to carry over a single heating stove if we can avoid it. So come, don't wait.

Sideboards at	-	-	\$17.50
Dressing Tables at	-	-	14.00
Dressers at	-	-	12.00
Turkish Rockers at	-	-	30.00
China Closets at	-	-	22.50
Ladies' Oak Desks at	-	-	5.00

**A. F. Wheeler Furniture Co.**  
Paris, Kentucky.



## THE BOURBON NEWS.

**Winters' Co.**  
JEWELERS & SILVERSMITHS.  
PARIS, KENTUCKY

## The Leader.

The old reliable Purity F our-  
always good. 4-1f

## For Rent.

Stable with lot for rent. Inquire of  
C. N. Fithian at Shire & Fithian's  
jewelry store. 5 3t

## Meet Tonight.

There will be a meeting of the Paris  
Chapter, N. O. 15, F. & A. F. this (Fri-  
day) evening, for work in Royal Arch  
Degree.

Oh, there's Billiken, at Win-  
ters'.

## Railway Earnings.

The gross railway earnings for 1908  
were \$161,000,000 less than during 1907.  
However, the gross earnings for the  
year ended June 30, 1908—\$2,424,640,—  
637—exceeded the figures of 1906 by  
\$100,000,000.

## Fresh Fish.

We will have nice fresh fish every  
day from now on until warm weather.  
We will receive them daily and will  
clean them free of charge and deliver  
just when you want them. Phone us  
your order. 5 2t MARGOLEN.

Winters' window; Billiken is  
there.

## Good Gelding Sold.

Mr. B. T. Bishop sold Wednesday to  
Mr. A. G. Jones, of North Middletown,  
a coming four-year-old saddle gelding  
by Henry Bright, dam by Denmark,  
for \$325. Mr. Bishop also sold to Mr.  
Joseph M. Hall a pair of two-year-old  
mare mules for \$350, and to other parties  
five mules for an average of \$140  
per head.

## Solid Comfort.

While out riding this kind of weather  
be comfortable the same as if you were  
at home by the fire. To do this have  
one of those footwarmer's we are sell-  
ing.

J. T. HINTON.

## Burglars Enter Dental Office.

A burglar entered the dental office of  
Dr. H. E. Foster, some time Tuesday  
night, and stole \$16 worth of gold fill-  
ing. When Dr. Foster went to the  
office Wednesday morning he found all  
of the doors open. The burglar evi-  
dently had false keys as no sign of try-  
ing to prize open the doors was visible.

Look in Winters' window for  
Billiken.

## Stoves at Cost for Cash.

During the next thirty days I will  
dispose of my entire stock of stove at  
cost for cash. All heating stoves and  
ranges, such as Moore's Air Tight Hot  
Blast, Globe Oak, Quick Meal and  
Malleable ranges will be offered at  
their actual cost price, rare bargains in  
some of the very best makes of stoves  
on earth, come at once and take a look  
at my line and make yours selection.  
O. E. PHILLIPS.

## Blank Books.

Full line of blank books of all kinds.  
8 2t VARDEN & SON.

## Live Stock Sales.

Thos. McClintock & Sons have pur-  
chased the following cattle in the past  
week: bought of Chas Goff sixty 1,403  
pound cattle for which they paid 6  
cents per pound, shipping them to the  
Pittsburg market; of Brashear Bros.,  
Centerville, twenty-five 1,100 pound  
cattle at 5 cents per pound; 22 cattle  
of Doc Dunn, of Newton, 16 of which  
cost 6 cents per pound and the re-  
mainder 5½ cents per pound, and one  
car load of fat hogs of different parties  
costing from 4½ to 5½ cents per pound.

## Comfortable Comforts.

These cold nights one of those com-  
forts that J. T. Hinton sells certainly  
don't feel bad. They are the kind that  
don't let the cold air through.

## Buys Livery Outfit.

Messrs. D. W. Peed and W. R. Hukill  
on Wednesday purchased the livery out-  
fit of the late Wm. Hinton, Jr., and  
have assumed charge of the business.  
The stable is known as the Middle  
Stable, situated on Main between  
Fourth and Fifth streets. There are  
not two more better-known or popular  
men in this community than these two  
gentlemen, and we predict a successful  
career for the new firm. Mr. Peed has  
been a successful tobacco buyer in  
Bourbon for years, while Mr. Hukill is  
the well-known driver of trotters,  
have had large experience also in run-  
ning a livery stable.

Oh, there's Billiken, at Win-  
ters'.

## Sells His Fayette Farm.

Circuit Clerk Chas. E. Butler sold to  
F. Aulsburg, of Cincinnati, his farm  
situated at Greendale, Fayette county,  
three miles from Lexington, and con-  
taining 220 acres, for \$140 per acre.  
Mr. Butler bought the farm two years  
ago for \$120 per acre, and the advance  
in price and profits from the operation  
of the farm will net him more than  
\$7,000. Mr. Aulsburg will conduct a  
dairy and truck farm. Mr. Butler will  
give possession of the farm March 1,  
and will probably some time in Febru-  
ary have a public sale of his stock and  
crop.

## STOCK-REDUCING SALE.

My entire stock will be re-  
duced during my January  
White Sale and Clearance Sale.  
HARRY SIMON.

## DEATHS.

—Mrs. Ellen Garrard Holt, the wid-  
ow of the late Joseph Holt, died at an  
early hour Tuesday morning, in the 87th  
year of her age of heart trouble.

Mrs. Holt was Miss Ellen Garrard,  
a daughter of Captain William Garrard,  
who represented Bourbon county for  
seven consecutive terms in the lower  
house of the Legislature and was a  
beautiful and accomplished young  
woman in the society of Bourbon in the  
early forties.

She was the last surviving grand-  
daughter of the late James Garrard,  
who was governor of Kentucky for two  
terms from 1796 to 1804 and who or-  
ganized the first county court in Bour-  
bon in 1786. Mrs. Holt was a member  
of the Second Presbyterian church and  
was beloved by a large circle of friends  
for her beautiful Christian character.  
She is survived by five sons, J. Harry  
Holt, Garrard Holt, and Ben P. Holt,  
of Bourbon, J. C. Holt, of Grand Rap-  
ids, Mich., and A. Sidney Holt, of  
Seattle, Wash., and to daughters, Mrs.  
H. C. Buckner and Miss Bettie Holt.  
The funeral services were held at the  
residence, "Woodlawn," near town,  
yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, con-  
ducted by her pastor, Rev. Dr. B. M.  
Shive, of the Second Presbyterian  
church.

—Mrs. Lou Shaw Kniffin, aged 74  
years, wife of Col. G. C. Kniffin, died  
in Washington, D. C., Wednesday  
morning, Dec. 30. Three weeks ago  
Mrs. Kniffin fell and broke her hip,  
pneumonia set in and death resulted.

Mrs. Kniffin was a sister of the late  
Wm. Shaw, proprietor of the Paris  
Flouring Mills, and was a former re-  
sident of Paris. She is survived by two  
brothers, John J. Shaw, of Cincinnati,  
and James Shaw, of California. Mrs.  
Kniffin was an aunt of Wm. Howard,  
of Paris, who attended the burial in  
Arlington cemetery near Washington  
City. Miss Julia Howard has been  
with Mrs. Kniffin for some time.

—Mrs. Wm. Hinton Davis died at  
her home in Georgetown Wednesday  
morning, after a short illness of ty-  
phoid fever. Before her marriage,  
seven years ago, she was Miss Lucy  
Ewing, of Danville, and is survived by  
her husband and a four-year-old daugh-  
ter, Margaret Graham.

Mr. Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs.  
W. L. Davis, formerly of this city, and  
his hosts of friends in this, his old  
home town, extend their heartfelt sym-  
pathy to him in this hour of trouble.  
Mr. Davis and family moved to George-  
town last September where he had ac-  
cepted the position of distiller at the  
Indian Refining Company.

Funeral services were held at the  
home yesterday afternoon at 1:30  
o'clock, short services being conducted  
by Rev. C. L. Bohon, of Georgetown,  
assisted by Dr. Southgate, of Lexing-  
ton, who had married the couple. The  
remains were then brought to Paris on  
the F. & C. afternoon train for inter-  
ment in the family lot in Paris ceme-  
tery.

## BIRTHS.

—Born, on Wednesday, Jan. 6, to the  
wife of M. H. H. Davis, a daughter.

Billiken smiles at Winters'  
to-day.

## New Grocery Firm.

James Baldwin & Co. is a new gro-  
cery firm that has rented the corner  
store room in the "Robneel" new build-  
ing, corner Main and Eighth streets.  
They will open out in a few days.

## See Billiken at Winters'.

## Special Term of Circuit Court.

Special Judge S. W. Wilson, of Lex-  
ington, Wednesday concluded the trial  
of the motion in the Bourbon Circuit  
Court to dismiss the appeal in the case  
of Henry Biddle's assignee against his  
creditors. The day was occupied by  
the argument of the attorneys. Judge  
H. C. Howard argued the case in favor  
of dismissing the appeal and R. C. Tal-  
bott in opposition to the motion to dis-  
miss.

At the conclusion of the arguments  
Special Judge Willson announced his  
opinion, vouching the motion to dis-  
miss. The case was being heard yester-  
day afternoon upon its merits.

## See Billiken at Winters'.

## Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers for real es-  
tate were entered of record Wednesday  
in the office of County Clerk Pearce  
Patton:

Reynolds and Jesse Letton to W. D.  
McIntyre, 124 and 45-100 acres on the  
Paris and Jaestown pike, \$9,857.11.

J. R. Patton to Horace W. Purdy, 47  
and 32-100 acres on the Millersburg and  
Kuddles Mills pike, \$4,258.80.

Anne Belle Kenney to G. Ida Keller,  
house and lot on Second street, \$2,650.

C. N. Hostetter to Ben Morzon, one  
and one-half acres near Clintonville,  
\$500.

Helen M. Swearinger and George  
R. Davis to Mary G. Hall, house and  
lot on Cypress street, \$2,400.

Henry S. Letton to Joe Botkin, 99  
and 65-100 acres on Hinkston creek,  
\$8,490.65.

Same to Reynolds Letton 50 and 38  
100 acres on Hinkston creek, \$4,820.30.

Billiken smiles at Winters'  
to-day.

## Half-Price Sale of Men's Suits.

As is our custom each year to clean  
out, we have placed on sale 173 Men's  
Suits, sizes 34 to 48, which we are  
selling at half-price. These suits are  
of the best makes, L. Adler, Bros. &  
Co., and our guarantee goes with each  
of them. These suits are the best val-  
ues we have ever offered, blacks, blues  
and fancies are all included, and there  
is no question of the fit, longes, shorts  
and regulars. These suits go on sale  
today. Come in and see what values  
we offer:

\$10.00, now \$5.00.  
\$12.50, now \$6.25.  
\$15.00, now \$7.50.  
\$17.50, now \$8.75.  
\$20.00, now \$10.00.  
\$22.50, now \$11.25.  
\$25.00, now \$12.50.  
J. W. DAVIS & CO.

## SAVE YOUR STOMACH

## NOT THE WRAPPERS.

Most package Coffee is glazed, and  
adulterated with various substitutes to  
make a worthless Coffee salable.

## CHASE &amp; SANBORN'S COFFEE

Of Whatever Price are Clean,  
Wholesome and Pure.

We Have Them from 20 cents to 35 cents per pound.

To pay a little more and receive value  
for value, or pay less and receive nothing  
much, which is better? A trial will re-  
move any doubt.

*See's*

## Wm. Sauer

## Candy in Boxes

I have the finest lot  
of Fancy Candies in  
attractive boxes ever  
seen in Paris. In-  
spect my assort-  
ment before pur-  
chasing.

## Wm. Sauer.

## Cash System

I have adopted a strictly CASH  
SYSTEM in my dairy busi-  
ness.

## Books and Tickets

will be sold to each customer,  
and a discount of 5 per cent.  
will be given on these books.

## M. B. Lovel.

## NOTICE!

The stockholders of the Paris Elec-  
tric Light Company will meet at their  
office, 424 Main street, Paris, Ken-  
tucky, on Saturday, January 9, at 3:30  
p. m., to elect officers for the ensu-  
ing year. R. P. DOW, President.

## LoST.

On Monday, between Sixth street  
and the Paris cemetery, the bottom  
part of a lantern on a hearse. Same  
is about 10 inches long. It is useless  
to anyone except the undersigned.  
Will pay liberal reward for its return.  
J. T. HINTON.

## STEER TAKEN UP.

A steer has strayed to my place.  
Owner can have same by proving prop-  
erty and paying charges.  
8 3t C. ALEXANDER.

## RELIGIOUS.

—There will be the usual services at  
the Second Presbyterian church Sunday  
morning and evening. Preaching at  
both services by the pastor, Rev. Dr.  
B. M. Shive.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of  
the Christian church will hold a social  
in the church parlors tonight. All the  
young people of the church and friends  
are invited. Admission free.

—Elder Carey E. Morgan will be in  
his pulpit at the Christian church Sun-  
day. His morning subject will be,  
"Come, Let Us Reason Together;" ev-  
ening subject, "There is a Way That  
Seemeth Right Unto a Man and the  
End Thereof are the Ways of Death."

—The week of prayer is being ob-  
served nightly at the Second Presbyter-  
ian church. Good congregations have  
been present each evening and the ad-  
dresses that have been delivered by  
Dr. Shive have all been interesting  
and instructive.

## Cloaks,

## Skirts

and

## Furs

At COST.

W. Ed. Tucker's

I Am Offering For the Rest of  
this Month for

**CASH!**

Any Article in my House at a  
**Reduction of  
20 Per Cent.**

**J. T. HINTON.**

Goods charged at regular prices.

## Do You Want Bargains in Clothing?

The backward season has left us with more clothing than  
we like to carry over to the next season.

Men's, Youths' and Children's Clothing, Men's Rain-  
coats and Overcoats,

All will be sold at 25 per cent. off the regular price. All goods marked in plain figures.  
Take off one-quarter from the regular marked price and you have the bargain price.

If you are in need of any article in the clothing line, don't fail to see what bargains  
we can give you.

You will find bargains in our Dry Goods and Shoe Stock.

**RUMMANS, TUCKER & CO.**  
Paris, Kentucky.



## THE RIVER NILE.

Ancient Greeks and the Process of Sterilizing Water.

The ancient Greeks always recommended the use of sterilized water. Rufus of Ephesus, in the first century of this era, taught that "all water from rivers and ponds is bad except that from the Nile. Water from rivers which flow through unhealthy soil, stagnant water and that which flows near public bathing places is harmful. The best water is that which has been boiled in baked earthenware vessels, cooled and then heated a second time before drinking."

This hygienic prescription was intended both for healthy and sick people, since it was applied to the armies:

"During marches and in camps pits must be dug successively from the highest point to the lowest level of the place. These holes should be lined with clay such as is used for making pottery and the water should be made to percolate through it. The water will leave all its impurities in these pits."

It may be inquired how the ancient Greeks, knowing the processes of sterilization and filtration of water which they applied to that of the most limpid rivers, should have drunk without precautions the water of the Nile, which our microscopes allow us to declare "sound," but which is in appearance the most worthy of suspicion of all and is so muddy, so yellow, that it resembles wine.—Gazette des Eaux.

## THE BASILISK.

How the Fabulous Monster Was Pictured by Ancient Writers.

The basilisk was the most famous of the many fabulous monsters of mediaeval folklore. According to the popular notion, it was hatched by a toad from an egg laid by the cock of the common barnyard fowl. In the ancient picture books it was usually represented as an eight limbed serpent or dragon, sometimes with and sometimes without wings. Its name is derived from basiliscos, meaning a little king, and was applied because the creature was figured with a circle of white spots on its head which much resembled a crown. The cockatrice, a species of basilisk, besides having a crown, possessed a comb which was an exact counterpart of the cock's.

Pliny assures us that the basilisk had a voice which "struck terror to the hearts of men, beasts and serpents." The Bible classes it with the lion, the serpent and the dragon as one of the most formidable creatures. Old writers—Pliny, Bascho and others—say that its bite was mortal in every case, that its breath was suffocating and that no plant would grow in the vicinity of its lair. Its dead body was often suspended in bellies to prevent swallows from building there.

## Disease Scents.

"Every disease almost has its peculiar odor," said a doctor. "This odor helps us greatly in diagnosis."

"Gout imparts to the skin a smell precisely like whey. Diabetes causes a sweet, honey-like smell. Jaundice occasions a smell of musk. Smallpox has a very strong and hideous smell. It is like burning bones. Measles has a smell as of fresh plucked feathers."

"The fevers have the most distinctive odors. The odor of typhus is ammoniacal; that of intermittent is like fresh brown bread hot from the oven; that of typhus is musty, recalling to the mind old, damp cellars; that of yellow fever is like the washings of a dirty gun barrel."

"So, you see, to speak of a doctor scenting our disease is not to use a mere figure of speech."

## A Surprise For The Thief.

Herr Hager, a rich and influential banker, frequently had watches picked from his pocket. At first he had recourse to all kinds of safety chains; then one morning he took no precaution whatever and quietly allowed himself to be robbed. At night, on returning from his business, he took up the evening paper; he uttered an exclamation of delight. A watch had exploded in a man's hands. The victim's hands were shattered and the left eye destroyed. The crafty banker had filled the watch case with dynamite, which exploded in the operation of winding.—London Telegraph.

## A Difficult Task.

One of the greatest puzzles, said a member of parliament, is how to concede the most worthy and honorable intentions to an opponent, how to profess an unwavering and unfading belief in his uncompromising veracity and bona fides and at the same time to convey a distinct conviction that he is an impostor and a humbug of the first water and an accomplished Ananias carrying a welter of thirteen stone seven pounds in the mendacity hand-cap.—London Opinion.

## The Other Way.

"I heard that Renter broke down in the middle of his speech the other night," said the man who was kept at home by illness.

"Not exactly," replied the man who was there. "The meeting broke up right in the middle of his speech."

## Needed a Starter.

One night little Margaret, on kneeling by her mamma to say her prayers, finished, "Now I lay me," and forgot. "Mamma," she said, "you just start me, and then I can go a-whizzing!"—Delineator.

## Qualified.

Caller—Is the lady of the house in? Waitress (who has been given notice)—She's in, but she's no lady!—Life.

The world is upheld by the veracity of good men.—Emerson.

## THE WORD "WINTER."

Said to Have Originally Indicated Wetness, Not Coldness.

There is a prevailing impression that there is something in the word "winter" that signifies cold, and the season is usually associated with the idea of low temperature, but where the word originated there was little of winter as we understand it, while there was a great deal of moisture at the time the earth was nearest to the sun, so that it is not the temperature but the atmospheric condition that has given us the word.

The word "winter," as we use it, is found with but slight modifications in all the branches of the Aryan languages, for the idea of wetness associated with the season was given to it before the Aryan family was divided.

If we go to the root of the word we find "wad," with the signification of to well, to wash out, to moisten or make wet. Our Aryan ancestors used that root to apply to all conditions of moisture, and many words besides winter have grown out of it, wet and water being among them.

This root "wad" is in the Sanskrit as "udan," water. Anglo-Saxon has "waeter," and in Latin we have "unda," wave, from which we get our "inundate."

Our Danish and Swedish cousins changed the "w" into a "v" and have "vinter." In Icelandic it is "vetir," and the old high German has "wintar," and it is "winter" in German. These four words are all from the Teutonic base "wata," which means wet. So it has been moisture that has been indicated from the birth of the root on which all of the different words in a dozen languages have grown.—New York Herald.

## CURIOUS FLORIDA HERB.

Red Plant Which Feeds Upon Ants and Other Insects.

Almost everybody knows there are such things as insectivorous or carnivorous plants, but it is doubtful if many know we have any such plants growing right here in southern Florida. Nevertheless there is a plant, or, rather, herb, growing here which is really insectivorous.

It is likely that on account of its being extremely small it has escaped attention. In fact, it seems to have been overlooked by the botanists also, as we are unable to find it classed among the sensitive plants.

This is an annual herb, and the entire plant, including the flowers, is of a deep rich red color. It rarely reaches a height of more than three inches and is never so broad. The leaves are spatulate when undisturbed and present many small fibrillae and secrete at their tips a tenacious fluid which is capable of holding the very small insects, such as ants and the like, upon which it feeds. When any of these get lodged in the fluid and disturb these fibrillae the leaves slowly acquire a deep cut shape and sometimes curl completely up over their victim. When they have absorbed the insect they slowly recover their original shape, leaving only the skeleton of the insect remaining.

These plants grow on the very low, flat, poor and sandy lands. They appear in the late winter and early spring months.—Punta Gorda (Fla.) Herald.

## The Human Temperature.

Put to the test of the thermometer, it appears that the normal temperature of the body is almost invariable, regardless of latitude or season. Putting the bulb of the thermometer under the tongue of an Eskimo at the frozen north or of a man under the blazing sun of the tropics, we find that in each case, the body being in a state of health, the temperature is about the same, the difference not amounting to a degree. We may say absolutely that the average normal temperature of a human being is about 98.5 degrees F., just as we may say that at sea level water boils at 212 degrees F.—New York American.

## Put In More Words.

"Now, Peters," said the teacher, "what is it makes the water of the sea so salty?"

"Salt," said Peters.

"Next!" said the teacher. "What is it makes the water of the sea so salty?"

"The salty quality of the sea water," answered "Next," "is due to the admixture of a sufficient quantity of chloride of sodium to impart to the aqueous fluid with which it commingles a saline flavor, which is readily recognized by the organs of taste."

"Right, Next," said the teacher. "Go up one!"

## Mutton Birds.

During six weeks every autumn the 400 inhabitants of the Australian Furieux islands make enough money to support themselves in idleness the rest of the year. They do this by catching the very fat young "mutton birds," which are hatched there in such numbers that the flocks when they migrate extend for miles. They furnish food and oil, which is used for lubricating purposes and also as a substitute for cod liver oil.

## Making Sure.

Country Cousin—Are you sure I am in the right train? Town Relative (who has had about enough of it)—Well, I have asked seventeen porters and thirty-two passengers, and they all say "Yes," so I think you'd better risk it.—London Telegraph.

If thou continuest to take delight in idle argumentation thou mayest be qualified to combat with the sophists, but never know how to love with men.—Socrates.

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"Speak for it!" she cried to doggie. For she knew in her little heart, That German Syrup, home's great treasure, Could health and joy impart.

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## Left Them Thinking.

Counsel (to the jury)—"The principal fault of the prisoner has been his unfortunate characteristic of putting faith in thieves and scoundrels of the basest description. I have done. The unhappy man in the dock puts implicit faith in you, gentlemen of the jury!"

## The Lexington Herald for 1909.

The Lexington Herald announces its annual bargain offer for \$5.00 per year to mail subscribers who pay a year in advance before January 15th. This applies only to mail subscribers who are not in arrears. All subscribers who are in arrears may secure this reduced rate by paying up to January 1, 1909, and paying \$5.00 in advance for the next year. New subscribers may receive the paper by mail on payment of \$5.00 in advance. These rates do not apply either to carrier delivery in Lexington or carrier delivery in any of the towns of Central Kentucky, but only to subscribers who receive their paper through the mails.

The Herald for 1909 will be a better newspaper than ever before. It will continue to cover the news fields with the thoroughness that has already made it Central Kentucky's favorite newspaper, and the Sunday Herald will retain all of the high class features that have made it superior to any other Sunday paper published in a city of Lexington's size.

In addition to what Herald subscribers have received heretofore they will get on Monday morning an agricultural weekly which will also carry the news of the day. The regular subscribers of the daily editions of the Herald will receive the Blue Grass Farmer edition.

The Blue Grass Farmer edition will be for \$1.00 a year and The Sunday Herald for \$1.50 a year. LEXINGTON HERALD CO., Inc., Lexington, Ky.

## Made His Diagnosis.

"What diagnosis did the doctor make of your wife's illness?" "Said she is suffering from overwork." "Is that so?" "Yes, he looked at her tongue and reached his decision immediately."

## Good Cough Medicine for Children.

The season for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much care cannot be used to protect the children. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va., says, "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult. For sale by W. T. Brooks. You need no other guarantee.

## Judge Has Something to Learn.

"There is no such thing as unskilled labor," says the judge of the Washington juvenile court. Evidently the learned judge never saw a city man in the country trying to chop wood.

## Seven Years of Proof.

"I have had seven years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of the throat, chest or lungs," says W. V. Henry, of Panama, Mo. The world has had thirty-eight years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds, la grippe, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, hemorrhage of the lungs, and the early stage of consumption. Its timely use always prevents the development of pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Oberdorfer's drug store, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

## Distinctions Impossible.

That which is not for the interest of the whole swarm is not for the interest of a single bee.—Marcus Aurelius.

## Watched Fifteen Years.

"For fifteen years I have watched the working of Bucklen's Arnica Salve; and it has never failed to cure any sore, boil ulcer or burn to which it was applied. It has saved us many a doctor bill." says A. F. Hardy, of East Wilton, Maine. 25c at Oberdorfer's drug store.

## ERRATIC SCIENCE.

Some Wonderful Answers by School-room Small Boys.

"Mushrooms always grow in damp places, and so they look like umbrellas," wrote a small boy in the science examination. Other examples of the "howler" are compiled by a writer in the Scientific American:

"Air is the most necessary of all the elements. If there were no such thing as air I would not be writing this essay now, also there would be no pneumatic tires, which would be a sad loss. "Electricity and lightning are of the same nature, the only difference being that lightning is often several miles in length, while electricity is only a few inches."

"Air usually has no weight, but found to weigh about fifteen pounds to a square inch."

"The axis of the earth is an imaginary line on which the earth is supposed to take its daily routine."

"The difference between air and water is that air can be made wetter, but water cannot."

"Gravity is chiefly noticeable in the autumn when the apples are falling from the trees."

"Things which are equal to each other are equal to anything else."

"A parallel straight line is one which if produced to meet itself does not meet."

"The blood is putrefied in the lungs by inspired air."

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## The Woman Novelist.

Our woman novelists, in proportion to their numbers, get fewer novel-dramas put on the stage than our man novelists. Is this because women have less of the dramatic sense, the power to paint with a big brush, and perhaps less sense of humor?—Book Monthly.

## How is Your Digestion.

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market today." This great tonic and alternative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c. at Oberdorfer's drug store.

## Rewards Constantly Paid.

The rewards of great living are not external things, withheld until the crowning hour of success arrives; they come by the way—in the consciousness of growing power and worth, of duties nobly met, and work thoroughly done. Joy and peace are by the way.—Mable.

## How's This?

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## Not Improbable.

"I don't know how true it is," said the Irishman, "but they tell me that the dime museum bearded lady just died and left a wife and four children."

Insure with W. O. Hinton. Prompt paying non-union companies.

## As True Now as Then.

Corruption will never want a pretense.—Cato.

## County Court Days.

Below is a list of County Courts held each month in counties tributary to Paris:

Anderson, Lawrenceburg, 3d Monday. Bath, Owingsville, 2d Monday. Bourbon, Paris, 1st Monday. Boyle, Danville, 3d Monday. Breathitt, Jackson, 4th Monday. Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday. Estill, Irvine, 3d Monday. Fayette, Lexington, 3d Monday. Fleming, Flemingsburg, 4th Monday. Franklin, Frankfort, 1st Monday. Garrard, Lancaster, 4th Monday. Grant, Williamstown, 2nd Monday. Harrison, Cynthia, 4th Monday. Henry, Newcastle, 1st Monday. Jessamine, Nicholasville, 3d Monday. Lee, Beattyville, 4th Monday. Lincoln, Stanford, 2nd Monday. Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday. Mason, Maysville, 2d Monday. Mercer, Harrodsburg, 1st Monday. Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3d Monday. Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday. Oldham, Lagrange, 4th Monday. Owen, Owensboro, 4th Monday. Plendleton, Falmouth, 1st Monday. Powell, Stanton, 1st Monday. Pulaski, Somerset, 3d Monday. Scott, Georgetown, 3d Monday. Shelby, Shelbyville, 2nd Monday. Wayne, Monticello, 4th Monday. Woodford, Versailles, 4th Monday.

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## FOR MAGISTRATE.

Paris—L. J. Fretwell. Little Rock—W. H. Squires. Clintonville—B. F. Stipp. Hutchison—O. B. Lloyd. Centerville—J. T. Barlow. Ruddies Mills—Geo. K. Redmon. Millersburg—E. P. Thumason. North Middletown—J. J. Redmon.

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## Appreciation.

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### Oyster Society.

It is but seldom one imagines that a good joke is made about an oyster. Edmund Yates, however, in his "Recollections and Experiences," relates one. "I was walking with him one evening from the club," writes Yates, "and passing a fish shop in New street, he noticed two different tubs of oysters, one marked 'Is a dozen,' and the other 'Is 3d a dozen.' 'How they must hate each other!' said Thackeray."

### Beware of Frequent Colds.

A succession of colds or a protracted cold is almost certain to end in chronic catarrh, from which few persons ever wholly recover. Give every cold the attention it deserves and you may avoid this disagreeable disease. How can you cure a cold? Why not try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended. Mrs. M. White, of Butler, Tenn., says: "Several years ago I was bothered with my throat and lungs. Someone told me of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I began using it and it relieved me at once. Now my throat and lungs are sound and well." For sale by W.T. Brooks. You need no other guarantee. See

### Mid-Winter Styles in Dress.

"If you are planning to have a new winter gown after the holidays," writes Grace Margaret Gould in Woman's Home Companion for January, "there are one or two things I want to call your attention to in regard to materials and trimmings. All the new fabrics have a sheen effect, whether they are wool or silk. Fine cashmere, which has such a wonderful luster, is a reliable and a fashionable material. The chiffon broadcloths are still in vogue, and wool satin and Henrietta cloth are desirable materials. It is unwise to select, even for a winter gown, too heavy a material. The new style of dress demands light-weight fabrics. Much plain tucked net matching the material of the gown in color is used, and the maline nets braided are new rethan the filets. For a gown which you wish to wear in the evening or for informal social affairs there is nothing better than the lovely new crepes, which are so soft and shimmering. Messaline and satin are still being much worn."

"In the way of colors, all of the shades of gray are in high favor and are to be recommended because of their neutral inconspicuous color. Taupe, which has an undertone of dull green, is extremely fashionable, but the woman of pale complexion should avoid it unless it is brightened up with a touch of some color which she knows is particularly becoming to her. Mole, elephant and London smoke are all good gray shades. Catawba, drops of wine wistaria and amethyst are fashionable shades, and hunter's green is also in demand. In regard to the blues, which are apt to be so universally becoming, there are a number of fashionable shades. There is a tint known as Edison blue, which reminds one of Alice blue, but it is darker. The blues with either a tint of green or an undertone of gray are also good style. Not in a long time has black been considered as smart as it is this year."

### Twenty-five Indictments Against Booe.

Thirty-five indictments against Judge Charles E. Booe, late claim clerk in the Auditor's office, were returned in open court Tuesday morning by the Franklin county grand jury.

The indictments charge forgery with a forgery and defrauding the State with false vouchers, each of which is a felony. A bench warrant was issued for Judge Booe and his bond fixed at \$10,000.

As his attorney said when Judge Booe was given a preliminary hearing that he would be unable to give more than \$5,000 bail, it is believed that Judge Booe will be placed in jail until he can be tried.

The cases of the men now in jail will be taken up first and then Judge Booe will be given a hearing and he will enter a plea of guilty.

Judge Booe is making no effort to obtain the \$10,000 bond fixed for him by Judge Stout after the grand jury had returned the indictments and will go to jail to await trial.

### The Annual Peach Crop Wail.

The mild winter has caused the peach buds to swell, and it is believed that the severe storm which passed through Arkansas Tuesday night caused the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars to the owners of commercial peach orchards in that State.

### Grown-Up Children.

It is not only the frivolous whom the spirit of childishness is just now leading astray. Silliness is the fashion even among the wise. Women especially affect a kind of childish shrewdness in talking of serious subjects. Like children who have the habit of romancing, they lose the sense of reality, and because they never talk exactly as they think they begin to think exactly as they talk.—London Spectator.

### Natural Vagrants, All of Us.

There has never been a time when men did not wander from a desire for change, a desire to flee from the monotony of mere existence. There is a fever in the blood which drives men to wander, affecting rich and poor alike, and this is a factor which no legislation can ever entirely eliminate in dealing with the true vagrant class.

### A Prayer.

God, if thy will be so, enrich the time to come with smooth-faced peace; with smiling plenty, and fair prosperous days.—Shakespeare.

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40 *Lexington—Local	7.52 am
37 *Cincinnati—Local	7.53 am
12 *Lexington—Local	10.20 am
33 *Cincinnati	10.30 am
3 *Maysville—Local	10.25 am
26 *Lexington—Local	11.45 am
25 *Cynthiana—Local	3.10 pm
9 *Maysville—Local	3.15 pm
138 *Lexington	3.22 pm
38 *Knoxville	3.25 pm
5 *Maysville—Local	5.25 pm
30 *Lexington—Local	5.30 pm
39 *Cincinnati—Local	5.40 pm
132 *Lexington	6.12 pm
32 *Jacksonville	6.15 pm
14 *Lexington	10.32 pm
31 *Cincinnati	10.45 pm

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34 *Cincinnati	5.43 am
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7 *Lexington—Local	7.28 am
40 *Cincinnati—Local	8.00 am
10 *Maysville—Local	8.00 am
29 *Lexington—Local	9.39 am
37 *Knoxville	9.40 am
33 *Jacksonville	10.35 am
133 *Lexington	10.38 am
6 *Maysville—Local	11.50 am
28 *Cynthiana—Local	11.52 am
11 *Lexington—Local	1.20 pm
25 *Lexington—Local	3.30 pm
38 *Cincinnati	3.35 pm
39 *Lexington	5.48 pm
9 *Lexington—Local	5.50 pm
32 *Cincinnati	6.20 pm
13 *Lexington	6.25 pm
8 *Maysville—Local	6.25 pm
30 *Cynthiana—Local	6.30 pm
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## THEATRICAL.

## "THE COW-PUNCHER."

—One of the pleasantest tokens of coming days lies in the appearance of the new drama by Hal Reid called "The Cow-Puncher" which plays an engagement at the Paris Grand on Saturday, Jan. 9. It has already established itself into high favor in the East, so it is said, after the dreary monotonous string of lurid plays the indulgent public has been subjected to in the past seasons, the simple but interesting play of life on the plains of Arizona come to us like a cooling draught of water from the well of nature. It's chief charm is its plain and wholesome sentiment. Not that it is an ordinary drama, it is too honest and grave for that, there are no affectations or appeals for maudlin sentiment. It appeals to the heart, and at times flashes of bright comedy creep forth that seem to fit in, and in color and atmosphere to the story. An excellent cast has been provided. W. F. Mann, the producer, has spent a small fortune on the two carloads of scenery, electrical effects and properties necessary for its production, and we are expecting "The Cow-Puncher" to prove one of the pleasantest dramatic events of the season. Watch for the Indian cow boy with the rope.

## "THE RUNAWAYS."

—"The Runaways," a musical comedy and New York Casino success will be the attraction at the Paris Grand on the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 12. The play is the joint work of Addison Hubbard, composer of "Fantana," "The Girl Behind the Counter" and "A



GEORGE OVEY.

As "Butch" with "The Runaways" at the Grand next Tuesday.

Knight for a Day." In the company of "The Runaways" will be seen Francis Carrier, baritone with De Wolf Hopper for several seasons; Florence Ackley, formerly leading woman with "The Show Girl," and Jethro Warner, leading tenor last season with "A Knight for a Day."

## Yes, You Can Sing.

That a husband has a legal right to whistle and sing when his wife abuses him or quarrels with him was held Wednesday by the Court of Appeals in a case of George W. Richter vs. Mrs. Mary Richter, of Harrison County.

The Court reversed judgement giving Mrs. Richter \$10 a month alimony. Mrs. Richter testified that her husband was indifferent and cool. Her most serious charge, was, however, that he whistled and sang when she addressed him with a trade of abuse.

The Court says the domestic infelicity resulted from the death of a daughter and the disablement of an only son. The couple are advised to return to each other and spend the remainder of their days together.

## Will Surprise the Bankers.

In order that the same scheme successfully worked by J. H. Parrish, the Owensboro bank wrecker, may not be resorted to by others, Dr. Ben L. Bruner, Secretary of State, has determined to change his method of calling upon the officials of state banks throughout Kentucky for statements, says the Frankfort News.

The law provides that statements from State banks shall be sent into the office of the Secretary of State every three months or at such other times as he may call for them. Dr. Bruner has been requiring the banks to send him statements at the end of March, June, September and December of each year, but he announced Tuesday that he would change somewhat this order of things. Instead of having a fixed time at which statements will be called for, he proposes to surprise the heads of State banking institutions by calling upon them for statements at uncertain intervals.

During the trial of Parrish, who was president of the defunct Owensboro bank, it was brought out that the bank wrecker succeeded in borrowing enough money to tide him over during stated periods when he would be called upon to make a reserve showing. While Bruner is not taking the stand that all bankers are tricksters, he meant to leave no loop hole that in the end may result in a loss to the depositors.

## F. &amp; C. Change of Time.

Effective January 11, 1909, F. & C. train now leaving Paris at 8:30 a. m. and laying over in Georgetown an hour waiting for Q. & C. train from Cincinnati, and arriving at Frankfort at 11:03 a. m., will leave Paris at 9:28 a. m. and make continuous run to Frankfort, arriving there at 11:03 a. m. thus reducing the schedule between Paris and Frankfort on the morning run one hour and four minutes. Morning train from Frankfort will arrive at Paris at 8:04 a. m., instead of 7:50 a. m., as at present.

## Big Sugar Shipment.

A train composed of 25 cars filled with brown sugar passed through Georgetown on the Q. & C. railroad Monday morning about 11 o'clock en route to Cincinnati. Each car contained 30 tons of sugar and the train was all two big engines could pull. This is probably the largest shipment of any article of merchandise that was ever made through Central Kentucky.

## To Judge Big Cattle Show.

Mr. Abe Renick, the prominent farmer and live stock breeder residing near Winchester, will go to Denver, Col., in a few days where he is to act as judge of Shorthorn cattle at the State Annual exhibition of live stock show, which convenes in that city Jan. 18-23. Mr. Renick is an expert in his line, and his judgment at such shows is sought far and wide. Mr. Renick is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Renick, of this city.

## Starves to Death.

Unknown, save to members of his family and a few intimate friends, J. W. McKnight, once a millionaire, whose adventures in his finance wrecked the German National Bank, of Louisville, died a pauper in Bellevue Hospital, New York, December 23. Death was indirectly due to starvation. He was found on the street, near the Barthold Hotel in a starving condition on Thanksgiving day, and placed in a charity ward in the Bellevue Hospital. He had been drinking hard and erysipelas developed.

## Lexington Tobacco Sale.

The tobacco sales were resumed at the Lexington warehouses Wednesday after several days suspension. At the Shelbyville house only 12,000 pounds of tobacco was sold the prices ranging from 14 to 25 cents per pound. At the Growers' warehouse 40,000 pounds were sold the price ranging from 10 to 22 1/2.

## State Officials Oppose Revision.

When Gov. Willson informed the members of the special commission appointed by him to revise the tax laws of the State that members of his administration were backing him up on the tax revision proposition, he did not know that Frank James, State Auditor and Capt. Ed Farley, State Treasurer, were opposed to the scheme.

Both these men are looking with grave disfavor upon the plan to radically change the state tax laws, however, and are not keeping their disapproval under cover. It is not that they wish to oppose the Governor in the movement that he has originated, but for the simple reason that they think the present laws, with, possible, one or two changes, are equitable and adequate. Auditor James, who has had wide experience in matters pertaining to taxation, has made a study of the present tax system, and thinks that at least it should be given a fair trial. The law was enacted only two years ago, and both Auditor James and Treasurer Farley are of the opinion that it should be at least given a trial of four or five years. It is not fully understood as yet, but already results tend to show that it is most effective.

"Before formulating a new tax law, it would be well to go over the present law," said Capt. Farley Tuesday morning, "with a view to correcting any glaring defect that may be found in it. More than a year was spent in formulating the present tax law, and why this should now be discarded for an altogether new system, I can not understand."

## Look in Winters' window for Billiken.

Baltimore Oysters. Just received today a fine lot of fresh Baltimore bulk oysters. JAS. E. CRAVEN.

## Five-Legged Calf.

The latest addition to Louisville's freak population is a five-legged calf, which is on exhibition at the Bourbon Stock yards in that city. The youthful bovine is a Poland Angus which was born on a farm near Huntington, Ind., and shipped to cattle brokers at Louisville. The calf weighs 140 pounds and its actual value at present beef prices is about \$12, but its freak leg brought the price up to \$100. The fifth leg is attached by a ligament to a muscle in the middle of the back. The leg is regularly formed, having the natural bone formation including the divided hoof.

## Attention. Bookkeepers.

Ledgers, journals and book-keepers' supplies. 82t VARDEN & SON.

## Lebus Wants \$10,000 Per.

The Burley Tobacco Society was in session at Winchester Tuesday. All the proceedings have been secret and the members are very reticent in regard to what has been done. The question of salaries was considered and quite a difference has arisen between President Lebus and the members of the board. He wants a salary of \$10,000 a year, which the board thinks is entirely too large, and has offered him half that amount. This he refuses to accept, and the board is firm in its determination to pay no more. The salaries of the other officials will be fixed as soon as that of the President is settled. A tentative contract for the crop of 1909 was formulated and will be presented to the tobacco union for approval. Its nature was not revealed, but there will be no effort to curtail the crop this year.

Later.—The leaders of the Burley Tobacco Society voted themselves nice salaries at their meeting at Winchester which adjourned yesterday. The President is to get \$5,000 per year and expenses; seven executive committeemen \$2,000 each and expenses, and forty-three district chairmen \$500 a year each.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

—Mr. E. J. McKimey, Sr., is critically ill.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Lowry have moved to their handsome new home on Stoner Avenue.

—Mr. Chs. Wiimoth, who recently went to Chicago to reside, is ill with pneumonia in that city.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Cook and daughter, Miss Virginia, visited relatives in Frankfort yesterday.

—County Clerk Pearce Paton on yesterday issued a marriage license to Mr. Grover Butler and Miss Ethel B. Vickers.

—The regular meeting of the C. W. B. M. will be held at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon in the parlors of the Christian church.

—Mrs. E. T. Sanford and Miss Nellie Holt, of Louisville, was here yesterday to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Garrard Holt.

—Mr. Hugh Ferguson returned Tuesday to school at Central University, Danville, after spending the Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. J. S. Roberts, in the county.

—Mrs. Charlton Alexander, Jr., and sisters, Mrs. Josie Harris, and Mrs. D. L. Moore, of Versailles, left yesterday for Hot Springs to be the guest of their brother, Mr. Ernest Ball.

—Miss Mary Fithian Hutchcraft and her guests her classmates, Misses Willye Anderson, of Oklahoma, and Freida Semler, of New York, left to resume their studies in the senior class at Wellesley.

—Mr. T. H. Mitchell, formerly of Paris, now traveling passenger agent of the Queen & Crescent Route, with headquarters at Knoxville, Tenn., was here Wednesday, mixing with old friends.

—Col. and Mrs. E. F. Clay, of Runnymede, and daughters, Misses Mary Clay, Sallie Lockhart and Florence Lockhart, and Mrs. Samuel Clay, left Wednesday to spend the winter at Eustis, Fla.

—Messrs. Jesse Letton, Jos. Houston, Jr., Fred Auxier and J. H. Letton left Tuesday for the Panhandle in Texas on a prospecting tour. Jesse Letton recently made a purchase of land at Friona, Texas.

—Mr. McWilliams, aged about 73 years, died at the home of his son, Major J. P. McWilliams, of Lawrenceburg, Wednesday night. He was the father of Mr. Geo. McWilliams, the popular shoe merchant of this city. The burial will take place in the Catholic cemetery at Lexington today.

—Col. William Robertson Letcher, aged 59 years, secretary of the Kentucky Racing Association, one of the most widely known horsemen in the country, died Tuesday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert McKee, at Macon, Ga., where he had gone in the hope that the change would be beneficial to him. Death was the result of a complication of diseases.

## "Red Burley" Raised by Trust.

Reports from the South Central part of Kentucky, say that the American Tobacco Company is trying a new experiment. Last spring some members of the company on account of the high prices that they had to pay for the weed rented several hundred acres of red burley land in the counties of Barren and Warren. Though they were forced to pay high prices for the land, and the cost of labor, implements and plants was high, those engaged in the project are so well pleased with the result that they are engaging all the tobacco and possible in South Central Kentucky.

Though the company was late last year in getting its crop, which resulted in some of the tobacco being injured by frost, the projectors believe that the plan will ultimately become profitable, at least while the price of tobacco remains so good.

## Shurtleff Elected Speaker.

Edward D. Shurtleff, of Marengo, is the Speaker of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, of Illinois, elected by the votes of twenty-four Republicans and sixty-one Democrats, after the same number of Republicans voting with sixty Democrats had made him temporary Speaker, over Edward J. King, of Galesburg, the candidate favored by Gov. Deneen and the nominee of the Republican caucus.

## Winters' window; Billiken is there.

## Honan Wins Nomination.

Thomas Honan, of Seymour, was nominated for Speaker of the Indiana House of Representatives at the Democratic caucus. The Democrats have ten majority.

## Georgia Went Ashore.

No great surprise was expressed at the Navy Department of the report that the battleship Georgia went ashore while passing through the Suez Canal. With the exception of the dry dock Dewey, the suggestion was made that the battleships of the Atlantic fleet were perhaps among the largest vessels that have ever passed through the narrow waterway.

## Statewide Prohibition.

A statewide prohibition bill was introduced in the Tennessee Senate by Senator Hilladay. The bill is a practical reaffirmation of the four mile law now in force with the exceptions in the old law omitted. Later, it is understood, a measure will be introduced prohibiting the manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Tennessee.

## Fears For Brother.

Signor Pompeo Coppini, the sculptor who is engaged at Lexington in modeling the equestrian statue of Gen. John H. Morgan, for the Daughters of the Confederacy, is uneasy for the safety of his brother, who was in the vicinity of Reggio, one of the Italian cities destroyed by the earthquake. This brother lived only six miles from Reggio, where he was experimenting in tobacco culture, and nothing as been heard from him since the disaster and it is feared that he perished with thousands of others in that district. The fund being raised at Lexington for the earthquake sufferers now aggregates \$259.

## Horse Rescued from Cistern.

One of Tom Maher's big draft horses walked into one of the old cisterns on the old fair ground property Wednesday evening, and there was quite an exciting time in South Paris while the rescuing party was at work. There were at least one hundred spectators present and each one of them had suggestions to make in regard to getting him out.

Things were moving slow, however, until the real hero, "Johnnie" Maher, arrived on the scene, then it was easy and soon had his old pard out of the cistern on dry ground. The cistern was fifteen feet deep with about five foot of water.

"Johnnie" got busy and anchored a block and tackle to a nearby telephone pole, and the rest was easy. The horse looked like a drowned rat as he was dumped upon the ground, everyone saying he was dead. Not so, however, and "Johnnie" knew better, for as he gave that old familiar cluck and "gid-ap," the steed bounded to his feet as if he was a two-year-old. The horse was a valuable one, not for his real worth now, but as a keep sake, as he was the one that first started "Johnnie" on the road to fortune.

## Patrick Exonerated.

It is claimed that C. F. Jones, valet of the late millionaire William Rice, has made a deathbed confession exonerating Lawyer Albert Patrick for the murder of Rice. Patrick is now serving a life sentence for the crime.

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## Typhoid Fever at Messina.

Typhoid fever has broken out at Messina and physicians at Rome fear that an epidemic will get a start that will carry the disease beyond the stricken district. Some reports say that the disease is dysentery, which is regarded as equally as dangerous as typhoid fever.

## A Death Each Second.

The number of deaths in the world annually is 33,333,333, or 91,954 per day, 3,730 per hour, 60 per minute, or one per second. It is estimated that the population of the earth at the present time is being increased at the rate of about 16,500,000 annually.

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